(b) if not, what is the percentage of dropouts during the last three years; and

(c) what steps Government propose to take to reduce the dropout rate?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENTS OF EDUCATION AND CULTURE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT SHRIMATI KRISHNA SAHI): (a) to (c) The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.

**Virginity test on nurses**

2616. DR. G. VIJAYA MOHAN REDDY: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that virginity test is carried out on unmarried nurses who are recruited in DK hospital, Raipur; and

(b) what action Government have taken against the concerned authorities who has conducted such tests?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (KUMARI SAROJ KHAPARDE): (a) and (b) As public Health and Hospitals are a State subject, such matters are required to be looked into by the respective State Government.

**Central Schools in Rajasthan**

2617. SHRI SANTOSH BAGRODIA: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the names of districts in Rajasthan where there is no Central School; and

(b) the number of Central Schools proposed to be opened by the Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan this year in Rajasthan?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENTS OF EDUCATION AND CULTURE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRIMATI KRISHNA SAHI): (a) A statement showing the location of Kendriya Vidyalayas in the state of Rajasthan is attached (*See* below).

(b) Three Kendriya Vidyalayas, one each of Jobner (District Jaipur). No. 2 Jodhpur (Army, and Banar (District Jodhpur) have been sanctioned during 1987-88.

**Statement**

| Sl. No. | Location of Kendriya Vidyalayas in Rajasthan |
|---|---|
| 1. | Ajmer No. 1, CRPF, Golf Course Road, Ajmer |
| 2. | Ajmer No. 2, CRPF, G.C. II, Foy Sagar Road, Ajmer |
| 3. | Alwar, Near Moti Dungri, Alwar |
| 4. | Avikanagar, Avikanagar, Distt. Tonk |
| 5. | Itarana, Distt. Alwar |
| 6. | Bharatpur-321001 |
| 7. | Bikaner No. 1, Sagar Road, Bikaner |
| 8. | Bikaner No. 2, Opposite Telephone Exchange, Jaiselmar Road, Bikaner |
| 9. | Bikaner No. 3, NAL, 3 FBSU, C/o 56, APO |
| 10. | Deoli Distt. Tonk |
| 11. | Jaipur No. 1, Bajaj Nagar, Jaipur |
| 12. | Jaipur Cantt. No. 2, Jaipur |
| 13. | Jaipur No. 3, MREC Campus, Malviya Nagar, Jaipur |
| 14. | Jaipur No. 4, Khatipura, Jaipur |
| 15. | Jaisalmer, AFS, Jaiselmer |
| 16. | Jalipa Cantt. P.B. No. 18, Jalipa Cantt. Barmar |
| 17. | Jhunjhun-333001 |
| 18. | Jodhpur No. 1, AFS, Jodhpur |
| 19. | Jodhpur No. 2, AFS, Jodhpur |
| 20. | Jodhpur (Army), Jodhpur |
| 21. | Jodhpur (BSF), Mandore Road, Jodhpur |